

September 22, 2003

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

03970 U.S. PRO  
10/665140  
09/22/03

Re: Application of Naoki MOCHIZUKI  
SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING EXAMINATIONAL INFORMATION OF  
MEDICAL IMAGE, AND DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS IN SUCH  
SYSTEM

**Assignee: FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.**

Our Ref. Q77096

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-five (35) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, ten (10) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>7</u> - 20	=	<u>          </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>          </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>2</u> - 3	=	<u>          </u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u>          </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$750.00

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$750.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b><u>\$790.00</u></b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
JAPAN	2002-276075	September 20, 2002
JAPAN	2003-177953	June 23, 2003

The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

**Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on Saturday, September 20, 2003, the filing of this case on Monday, September 22, 2003, is sufficient to claim the benefit of the earliest priority application.**

Respectfully submitted,  
SUGHRUE MION, PLLC

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By:

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